

MAYOR EXPECTS 8 WEEKS OF OUTDOOR OPERA NEXT YEAR

Believes Public Is Greatly Pleased With Entertainments and Favors Continuation of Them in 1920.

ATTENDANCE LAST NIGHT BROKE RECORD

More Than 8000 There—Paid Admissions of \$3278 for Evening Reduce Deficit to \$7242.

Mayor Kiel, who is president of the Municipal Theater Association, stated today that he is satisfied there will be another season of open-air opera next summer, and one probably of eight weeks instead of six. He said he believed everyone has been delighted with the six productions in Forest Park, and will be disappointed if the undertaking is not repeated in 1920.

The paid admissions at last night's performance of "The Chimes of Normandy," said the Mayor, totaled \$2278. "The record receipts thus far, since the place was sold by the theater's management, the income of which was \$2183. The attendance last night was reckoned at more than 8000, including those in the free seats."

Up to today, he stated, the deficit has been reduced to \$7242. The concluding performance of "The Chimes of Normandy" tonight, and the special concert to be given tomorrow night by the cast and orchestra, are relied upon to eliminate the present discrepancy, or at least reduce it to negligible proportions.

The Mayor promised that during the concert he will address the audience, telling just how the money taken in was expended, and extending an assurance that the same entertainment would be available next year.

Motion Pictures of Crowd

Last night's outpouring of people was so impressive that it was decided to preserve the spectacle by means of the motion picture camera. Pictures were taken of crowds of enthusiasts disembarking from the street cars at De Fleury avenue and mounting the park buses. Other pictures showed the interior of persons finding their seats in the theater, and finally the massed throng which was not far from exhausting the capacity of the great amphitheater.

The films will be shown in local movie houses, and also distributed in the St. Louis trade territory as an advertisement for the city's zeal in its operatic efforts.

As a special feature for tonight's performance, Mildred Rogers, contralto of the cast, will, at the suggestion of Mayor Kiel, sing "The End of a Perfect Day" during the first intermission, to the accompaniment of the chorus.

Tomorrow night's program will include the garden scene from "Faust," sung in English by the principals, number of grand opera arias, and numbers by the Symphony Orchestra.

POLICE JUDGE TO FINE AUTOISTS IN SPITE OF CAPTAIN'S RULING

Says It Isn't Reasonable to Expect Driver With Clear Lens to Day-Night to Change It At Night.

Judge Mix in Police Court today commented on the ruling of Police Captain Doyle that an automobile could not legally be arrested for having clear glass lamps on his machine in daylight. After fining John P. Carroll of 111 Webster street \$25 and costs, the Judge said:

"This Court will fine offenders under this ordinance no matter what time of the day or night they are arrested, despite the ruling made yesterday by Capt. Doyle." Carroll was arrested at night and took a change of venue to Judge Mix's Court.

On disposing of the case Judge Mix said to reporters: "The ordinance specifies that lights must be burning between certain hours, and it also says they must be lit in the daytime under certain atmospheric conditions. When an automobile drives in daytime with illegal lamps it is not reasonable to suppose he will change them at night or when atmospheric conditions change."

GROCERIES VALUED AT \$2000 CONDEMNED AS UNFIT FOR USE

Would-Be Customer Angry When He Can't Buy Some Cakes Because They Are Cheap.

Groceries valued at \$2000, condemned as unfit for use, were taken from Frank Pfleider's store at 515 Market street, to the value of over \$1000, a hog raised for use as feed.

John Ritter, chief food inspector for the Health Department, reported that while the goods were removed a customer wanted to buy some cakes which had been condemned as sour. When told the sale of the cakes had been forbidden, the customer became angry, and said: "What's the way with you food inspectors? When you find something that is cheap you come and take it away from us." The cakes had been on sale at 5 cents a pound.

A cottage with a large yard—see Post-Dispatch Wants.

Women Republicans in Conference at Planters Hotel Today



Front row, left to right: Mrs. Eva Alexander, 3517 Bell avenue; Mrs. Edna Merrill, 3517 Bell avenue; Mrs. Alice Curtiss Moyer-Wing, Greenville, Mo.; Mrs. A. L. Brueggeman, 4218 Westminster place; Miss Mary Stewart, Washington, D. C.; Mrs. Maude Miller, Hillsboro, Mo.; Mrs. L. H. Walkenhorst, 5087 Ridge avenue; Miss Clara Spitznagel, Hillsboro, Mo.; and Mrs. Allen Blanner, Webster Groves, chairman St. Louis County Republican Women's Organization.

Row above, left to right: Miss Doris Hollenbeck, 3517 West Pine boulevard; Mrs. R. E. Martin, Senath, Mo.; Mrs. John Gillespie, St. Louis; Mrs. Rose Gwinn, Eldorado Springs, Mo., and Mrs. E. H. Hequembourg, Webster Groves, Mo.

RESERVATIONS ARE MAIN TOPIC IN INFORMAL TALKS AMONG SENATORS

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Taft Says Letters Were Made Public Without His Consent

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NEW YORK, July 26.—THE Associated Press has received the following message from ex-President Taft:

Your association yesterday gave out two letters written to me by Will Hays on July 23 last. These letters were personal and confidential, and were so plainly marked, and were published without the knowledge or consent of Mr. Hays or myself. I ask, in fairness to Mr. Hays and me at once to give this the same publicity you gave the letter of.

—WILLIAM H. TAFT.

It should be said that the Associated Press was furnished the letters referred to by one who had received copies of them, and felt himself under no obligation to regard them as confidential.

There are indications that the conversations were general, though quite informal in character, and as far as their object such a declaration from Tokyo as would satisfy China and assist in her acceptance of the treaty.

Senator Spencer discussed at length with the President the subject of reservations in Senate ratification of the treaty taking with him a draft of five reservations drawn up and submitted at the suggestion of Chairman Lodge of the Foreign Relations Committee. Spencer made it clear in presenting them that he alone stood sponsor for their phrasing.

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Chairman Cole of the State Committee yesterday began an effort to prevent consideration of a league of nations resolution at the meeting, but with the arrival of the first committee men the work of the most experienced politicians began to be evident.

Opposed to All Alliances.

The resolution Marks had ready to offer contained the following expression regarding the league:

"We are opposed to any political league or alliance with any nations or governments."

Some committee men did not understand when pledging themselves to support resolutions opposing the league that they could be construed as an endorsement of Reed, but he avoided any such language.

The fact that the national administration is Democratic has left him out of the patronage squabbles which frequently cause a National Committee much trouble.

Baldwin has kept his lines well laid, though there has grown up some opposition to him. It was pointed out by his friends, however, that he is a good "money getter" in campaigns, and there was a possibility that this clause would be dropped in the final committee, as the world of the Senate is clearly much more an endorsement of Reed than it is of Spencer, the Republican Senator, who has not opposed the league of nations, but instead has supported it with reservations.

Probably the most active candidate for chairman of the Women's Executive Committee was Mrs. Alice Curtiss Moyer-Wing of Greenville, Wayne County, who long has been a suffrage worker and a writer on life in the Ozarks. Mrs. W. R. Haight of St. Louis and Miss Matilda Dallmeyer of Jefferson City also were heavily discussed. Mrs. Walter McNab Miller of St. Louis, whose name frequently has been mentioned for chairman, has refused to permit her name to go before the committee.

230 Women Attending.

There were about 230 women at the meeting, and the spectators among them, as well as the members of the committee, evinced the keenest interest in the proceedings. Those who were called on to speak responded with good self control, and the expression of ideas that indicated they were thoroughly conversant with the purposes that brought them here. The enthusiasm was always at a high pitch.

Mrs. Miller, who has long been a leader in woman suffrage activities, made a rousing address in response to the chairman's invitation to take the floor. She said it shall be the policy of the women to stand shoulder to shoulder with the men in promulgating the principles of the party, and not be led by deceptive phrases. The new woman voter, she said, should demand constructive agreements.

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1000 VOTED ALDERMEN TO COMPLETE DOCKS

Passes With Hall
Only Dissenting
—Money Is Available
Immediately.

appropriation of \$300,000 for the Municipal Dock at North Market street and yesterday by the Board of Aldermen, with the only dissenting vote of Alderman George Hall. He said that "the changing of the river might soon day dock 'high and dry.' But no such condition.

appropriation was made under

the rules that there

be further delay in the dock

which is necessary before

the arrival of the new fleet of

40 barges for the

the docks to be operated

completely for its

meantime and continu-

the work is available im-

and work will go forward

expectation of completion in

three months.

Dock facilities are three

stock, measuring 600 feet

the warehouse, 80x140 feet,

insufficient and only two

loading equipment, these

able for the handling of

the needed freight and

the loading of package freight,

coming to the river in im-

minities.

Completed, the dock will have

a measuring 900 feet over

walkways, 200x400 feet,

and 120x200 feet and adding

equipment, which it is

now being present

from 50 to about 30

more suitable for the handling

of freight St. Louis

may have to offer.

The fleet will have an annual

of 1,000,000 tons and the

is expected to be equal to

transferring that amount

without congestion, though

it will have the capacity of

one year and the amount

being shown to be in

care for that amount.

10 CENTS IS TOO HIGH.

proposes to realize on its

in docks by a charge of

ton for all freight passing

to be applied when the

completed.

Manager A. W.

of the Government River

said that so great a

could greatly affect the ad-

ministrations of the na-

tionals given the burde-

nments that the con-

of the docks was to cheapen

of handling freight and

charge of 10 cents a ton

the effect of immediate-

high cost of handling.

Jennings

ne Back.

ADVERTISEMENTS

SALOON KEEPER KILLED AT BAR; SLAYERS ESCAPE

Police Searching for Three
Men Who Drove Away in
Automobile Following Fa-
tal Shooting.

DAUGHTER FINDS FATHER'S BODY

No Attempt at Robbery Made
—Neighbors Say Fleeing
Man Shouted, "I've Killed
Him," as He Ran.

A police search for three men, whose names are not known, but of whom have been described, is be- ing made in connection with the murder of Henry Krallmann, 58 years old, in the saloon back of his grocery at Marcus avenue and McCaffery place, at 11:30 o'clock last night.

Krallmann, for several years, was an American Legion Committeeman for the old Twentieth Ward. Recently he had not been active in politics.

Three persons have told the police the man escaped in a dark-colored five-passenger Dorris car without lights. The license number was not noted. Though it is believed a robbery was planned, nothing was taken from the cash register or from a safe in the grocery.

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SHORTAGE OF SUGAR IS OFFICIALLY DENIED

Equalization Board Head Says There Is Plenty, and Price Should Not Exceed 11 Cents.

By the Associated Press
NEW YORK, July 26.—Sugar is abundant in the United States and if it were not for profiteers and nervous housewives encouraged to "hoard" it there would be enough for every legitimate demand and a 30 days' reserve supply in addition, declared President Zabriskie of the United States Sugar Equalization Board.

"The chief factor in this apparent shortage, which is temporary," he said, "has been the belated orders of big fruit canneries and confectionery factories which failed to anticipate their normal demands and held off ordering their sugar in the expectation that prices would be lower."

The capacity of the 22 refineries is approximately 4,500,000 tons, while the consumption is about 250,000 tons, he said. "The margin between supply and demand is narrow and the refineries have to keep going when the demand in March and April is not great, building up reserves for the four months, June, July, August and September, when the demand is at its height."

Raw Sugar Abundant.

There is, however, at present no shortage of raw sugar. The difficulty now is that capacity is so slender that of the 2,625,000 tons contracted to purchase from Cuba, we had still to receive on July 1 no less than 1,100,000 tons. In addition to this we have access to 1,570,000 more tons, including the beet sugar which will begin to come in about Oct. 1, and the big cane crops of Louisiana and the insular possessions of the United States, such as the Virgin Islands, Porto Rico, Hawaii and the Philippines.

The situation is entirely satisfactory so far as the raw material is concerned and I know the refiners are doing their part, for their plants have been operated night and day, and some on Sundays, for months past. Everybody, therefore, should be able to buy sugar at a maximum of 11 cents a pound and I know of chain stores selling it for less than 10 cents.

Profiteers May Lose Licenses.

The War Department has sold to the Equalization Board 37,000,000 pounds of refined sugar, it was announced by Zabriskie.

Zabriskie declared that the refiners, now not working overtime, are not meeting their combined output of 41,175,000 pounds a day is being put into domestic channels of trade.

Profiteering dealers, if reported, may suffer revocation of their licenses, for they are still under the

Children Who Have Worked to Get Money to Aid Babies



LEFT TO RIGHT: FRED MCKEE, JAZZEL METZ, HELEN MAGLE, CHARLES PALMER, VIRGINIA NAGLE, CONSTANT BECKEMAN, RICHARD HALL, MIDDLE ROW—EVILYN BECKEMAN, ROBERT PALMER, MYLE BREIDMAYER, PEARL BECKEMAN, MELOVINE BREIDMAYER, BACK ROW—JOSEPHINE HORN, GENEVIEVE BREIDMAYER, QUINN LEE, HERB MOELENBECK, AND ESTHER PALMER. THEIR ENTERTAINMENT AT CLAYTON AND GRAHAM AVE. EARNED \$31.65.

REPORTS HOLDUP ON JULY 12

Miss Helen Wilson, 3829 Kosciusko street, cashier in an oil filling station at Broadway and Zepp street, reported to policemen yesterday that about 3 p. m. on July 12, while she was counting money in the office, she was held up by two armed men and robbed of \$21.65. One of the men, she said, crawled in a side window and the other entered through the door of the office.

Policemen asked why she had not reported the affair at an earlier date. "Haven't seen a policeman since until today," she replied.

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Diamonds, Watches, Jewelry \$1 a week. Loft Bros. & Co., 201 St. Louis N. 6th st.—Adv.

Pershing to Address 1898 Veterans.

By the Associated Press.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 26.—Arrangements have been completed to have Gen. Pershing and Major-General Leonard Wood address twenty-first annual convention of the United Spanish War Veterans and Women's Auxiliary in this city, Sept. 2 to 6. Maurice Simmons, past guard commander of the order, announced here.

The Board of Alderman yesterday passed a bill providing for the purchase of a plot of ground, \$41x848 feet, at the northwest end of Tower Grove Park, in the vicinity of Magnolia avenue and King's highway.

The plot now appears to be part of the park but is owned by Christine Laumeier, who has asked \$61,000 for it. The bill passed yesterday provides for an initial payment of \$15,000, the remainder to be paid in three years.

Aldermen Pass Bill for Purchase of Property Adjoining Park.

CITY TO BUY TOWER GROVE PLOT

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In the "wild horse race" Stone finished fourth. None of the mounts ever had been ridden before.

TAKES OVER COLLIER'S WEEKLY

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THEIR ARE FIVE WAYS of getting Want Ads to the Post-Dispatch Office. Through your druggist, over your phone, by mail, by messenger or personal call—with no difference in rates.

NATHANIEL GOULD, Novelist, Dies.

LONDON, July 26.—Nathaniel Gould, novelist, died yesterday at New Haven, Bedford, Middlesex. He was born in Manchester in 1857 and was killed in an effort to capture the

garbage.

Officers at Funston Held in Service.

By the Associated Press.

CAMP FUNSTON, Kan., July 26.—Orders were received here yesterday to hold all army officers now in service and to issue no discharges to

and was the author of numerous works of fiction.

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Movies

Leading Film Features.
—Constance Talmadge
"Burglar."
Leah Baird in "As a
Banks."
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"Nell."
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The Browns Seem to Be Under the Impression That They Are Still Working for Comiskey

Cards Get Only
2 Safeties and
Lose to Chicago

Dock's Great Pitching Is Wasted
Through Feeble Hitting
of Mates.

JACOBS LABORS TODAY

Righthander Obtained From
Phillies Will Try to Stop
the Bruins.

When on the road the Cardinals batted .264 and then lost 19 of 24 games; bad pitching was the reason.

In the opening clash of the home series yesterday the Knot-Holers had class A twirling, but Jim Vaughn, the big Chicago left-hander, kept the bats completely silenced. In all, the locals made two hits off the side wheeler, and as a result Bill Doak was beaten, 1-0.

Doak hurled a game that nine times out of 10 would have netted him a victory. But against Vaughn it amounted to nothing. Vaughn who has habit of hitting the Cards, not the other way around, how good his rival may be, was simply unbeatable.

Of the two safeties off him, one was of the infield variety in the first inning by Clifton Heathcote, who is a greatly improved ball player. The other was made by Milton Stock when he opened the seventh with a clean safety to left. All the other men could do, however, was to send up easy pops or roll feebly to the infielders.

Eight Men Reach First.

In six of the nine rounds Vaughn turned back the locals as fast as they came to the plate. In all just eight Cardinals saw the initial stages of one of the games set by Hollcocher.

Not a local runner got as far as third, while only two got to second.

Vaughn's accomplishment in the pitching line-up is as follows:

Firz—Heathcote, 1-0; Morris, infield hit, most doubled stealing, when Stock fanned.

Third—Miller walked, first up, but got no further.

Fifth—Heathcote walked, but was forced by Hornsby.

Sixth—Lavan, first up, reached second on Hollcocher's muffed, but got no further.

Seventh—Stock singled, was forced by Hornsby, McHenry walked.

The above mentioned, however, were the only members of Ricketts' clan who were fortunate enough to get on the sacks. When the Knob-Holers did score, which was only twice, Vaughn put on a bit more speed and it was all off. Easy pops or infield grounders were the result.

There was only one hard chance here for Vaughn, that in the seventh when Plank made a nice running catch of Clemens' liner to right center.

Doak in Great Form.

Splitfin' Bill Doak came back with a great exhibition after his feeble showings on the road. In the eight rounds he worked, he permitted only five hits and the only run for the 'Cubs' came in the first round, before Doak was really warmed up.

Plank, first up, singled to center.

Hollcocher drew four wide ones, and the bases were full when Miller threw late to third on Magee's attempted sacrifice. Merkle then hit into a double play, and the game was over with the only tally of the battle.

After that Doak weakened only twice. In the fourth the Bruins got two hits after one was out, but Merkle was out again. Doak struck out in the fifth with two gone. Plank hunted safely and made second on Miller's wild base, while Hollcocher also hunted safely. Magee then sent an easy grounder to Stock.

Jacobs to Pitch Today.

For the second clash of the series this afternoon, Elmer Jacobs, recently obtained in a trade with the Phillies, will be on the mound. He will draw Hendrix, the big spitballer, as his rival. Play at 3 o'clock.

Stock and Lavan Star.

Milton Stock and Johnny Lavan were the leading stars for the locals.

Stock, at the plate, had three hits, eight assists and one putout, while Lavan had two putouts and five assists. Several of the chances came on hard grounders.

Tigers Are Now Third.

When the Detroit Tigers downed the Indians for their second straight conquest yesterday and the Yankees lost to the Red Sox, Jennings' crew moved into third place, only five points behind the Indians. The Tigers have now won 15 of their last 19 games.

BAN ON AUSTRALIAN SWIM STARS LIFTED

PHILADELPHIA, July 26.—The ban that was placed on the Misses Durack and Mina Wiley, Australian swimmers, by the Amateur Athletic Union more than a year ago, has been lifted, according to Samuel J. Dallas, president of that organization.

Cricket Teams Play.

The return match between the Islands and Colonia proved a surprise in that it was won by the former, who, relying upon one easy victory the first occasion the team met, confidently expected another walk-over. They were quite unpleasantly shocked, however, as Colonia gave them a sound thrashing.

The contest was largely due to the wonderful batting and bowling form displayed by Mr. Flower, who hails from New Zealand, and the able assistance rendered by Mr. Johnson, Estrada, Anson, and Howe. Messers. R. C. Ross, Davis, Cowley, Crowther and Dr. Murray, on the losers' side, strove manfully but in vain to avert defeat. The final and most exciting match will be played this afternoon on the Forest Park crease at 3 o'clock, and as both sides are keyed up for the struggle, an interesting contest may be expected.

After having suspended for a year because of the war, the Centrals States Amateur Rowing Association today will come back into its own with the opening of the twelfth annual regatta at Creve Coeur Lake. On the program today are the junior events, starting at 2:30 p. m. The senior contests will be staged tomorrow, beginning at the same time.

Every local club except the Century will be represented with four oarsmen each day, and from the Lincoln Boat Club of Chicago, the grand total of entries for both juniors and seniors is 243.

The Mount City has the largest number of entries, 67. Then comes Central, with 57, and Western, 40; St. Louis, 29; Baden, 18; North and Lincoln Park, 4. The Chicagoans will compete in the single and double sculls event.

Four games were played in the National League yesterday and all of them resulted in shutouts. The Cubs stopped the Cardinals, 1-0; the Reds downed the Pirates, 4-0;

SHAWNEE HOUSE LEAGUE.

Montgomery—Stock vs. Warehouse, 2 p. m.; Murphy Playhouse—Order Clerks vs. Office, 4 p. m.

WRAY'S COLUMN

Assorted Referees.

WHEN the Marquis of Queensberry revised the London prize ring rules to their present form he made boxing a very brutal sport—for the referee. Not being a clairvoyant, he could not foresee that the game would degenerate into a 10-round, no-decision condition, with clean breaks, no hitting while holding, and kidney, "rabbit" and other freak punches barred. The good old sporting peer dealt only with finish fight affairs, which scarcely needed an official to decide.

Today we still fight "straight Marquis of Queensberry rules," but qualified, restricted and limited. The odium of deciding just what the rules concerning things that the rules are absolute silence about falls upon the referee. As a result, we have many varieties of the species, and as many varieties of rulings.

The Hard-Boiled Referee Reigns.

IN Toledo six preliminaries to the Willard-Dempsey fight were fought. There were several types of referees exhibited, a different man official in each event.

The sturdiest or hard-boiled variety who doesn't know finish fights are a thing of the past was conspicuous. One of them did duty in the Frankie-Mason-Carl Tremayne fight.

Willard-Dempsey fight were fought.

Strictly speaking, this attitude is correct, but it is also very unpopular with onlookers who see only the damage done to the opponent and have no knowledge of the referee's line of reasoning, or the aspect of the case from the standpoint of the rules.

Harry Sharpe and His Code.

LIKE Eugene Corri, Harry Sharpe, a boy of wide experience, tried to put up a clean, honest contest. He broke clean and played fair until his opponent unrestrainedly "got away" with everything short of mayhem. While the referee looked on, Tremayne held Mason's head with one hand, hit him in the face and ended—a man of education and culture, a graduated lawyer and a man who had seen service in both army and navy, he had qualities possessed by few men attending such a meeting.

The referee took it all in and, notwithstanding that Mason finished with a good lead on points, gave the decision to Tremayne. It should have gone to Mason, if only because of the foul.

But he was a "straight Queensberry" guy, who believed in letting the fight alone so long as murder wasn't committed.

Wanted—Up-to-Date Referees.

HERE are several such officials in the country today, well-known parties, who seem to stand fast by strict government. Visiting boxers could not put over any of the ancient and venerable tricks here.

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Rules a la Police Board.

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Kidd Is Inconsistent.

HAD Willie Kidd, the other St. Louis entry, played a more consistent game, he would have finished ahead of the others. As it is, he is a riddle.

The referee who decides as a foul unless it breaks the victim's nose, is a fool.

Often Sharpe did not say anything, merely tapping the culprit on the shoulder as a warning. If the opponent was not hurt, he let the offender speak. The referee who frequently says "no" to a foul, but permits it, is a fool.

The worst of it was that the crowds often thought the same way, as Sharpe did not take this into his confidence. Later, when decisions were abolished, the situation cleared up somewhat.

Heiner Has Made Good.

ALTER HEINSENR, the present local official, has satisfied both the public and the fighters—sometimes hard to do. His case is easier, since he makes no decisions, but even so, the enforcement of St. Louis rules is strict. The overbearing visiting talent requires both vigilance and courage. Heinser has done it satisfactorily.

Where the Referee Quails.

THE real test of an official is in fights where a decision is to be handed down between fighters of almost equal merit. When it comes to this point referees begin to differ, sometimes considerably.

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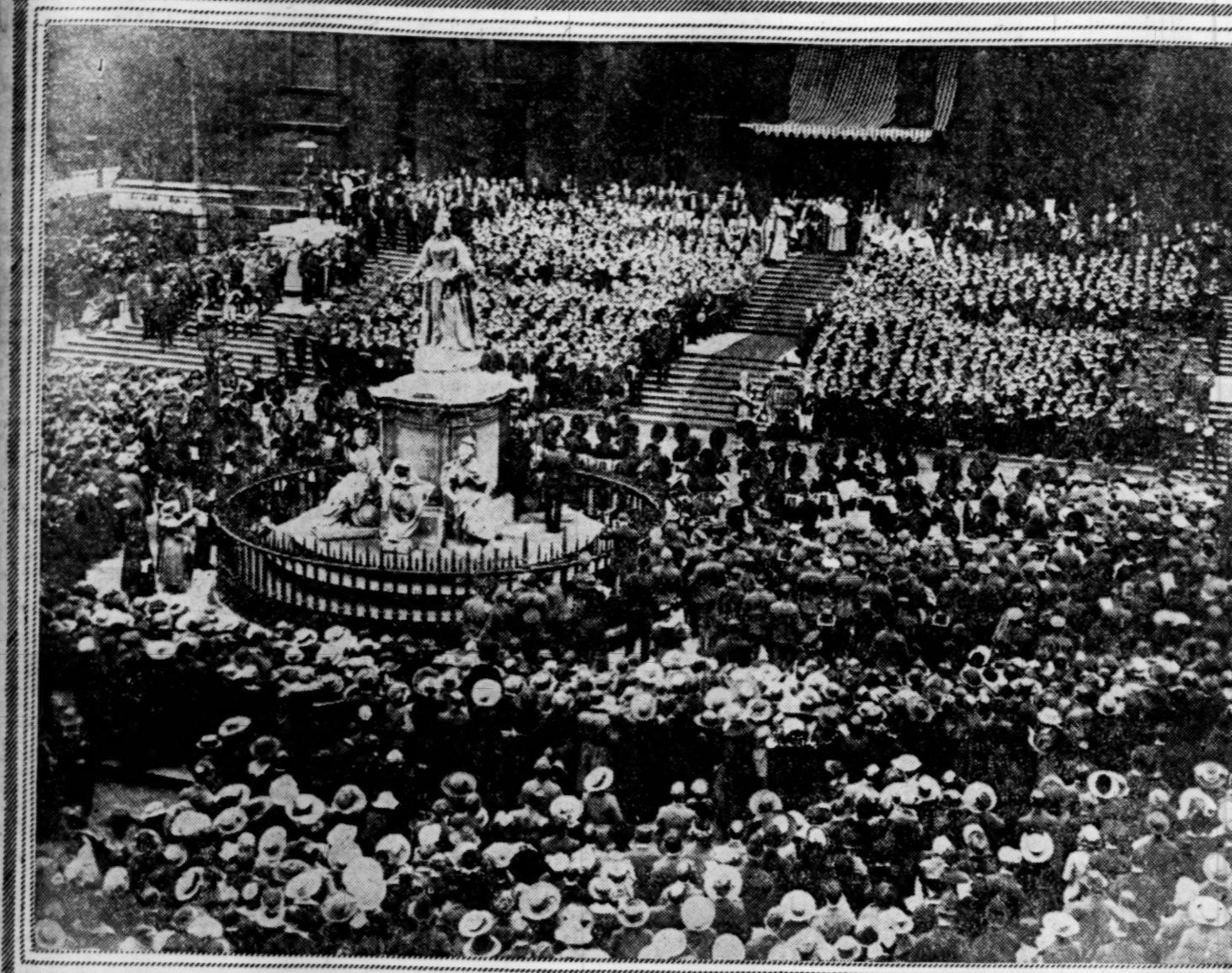
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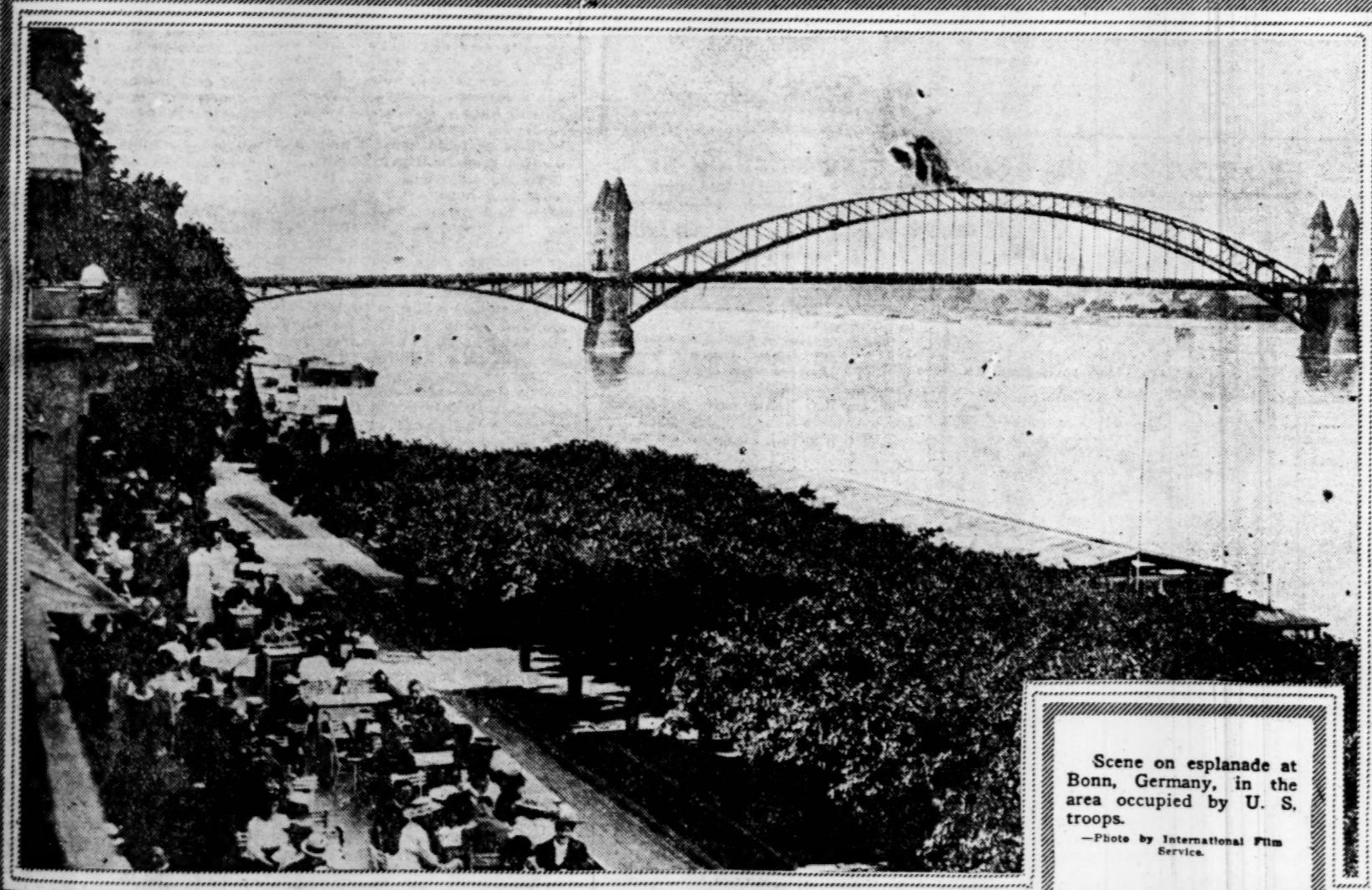
Impressive peace thanksgiving service recently held at St. Paul's Cathedral, London. The King and Queen are shown under the canopy at the top of the steps.

—Photo by Central News Photo Service

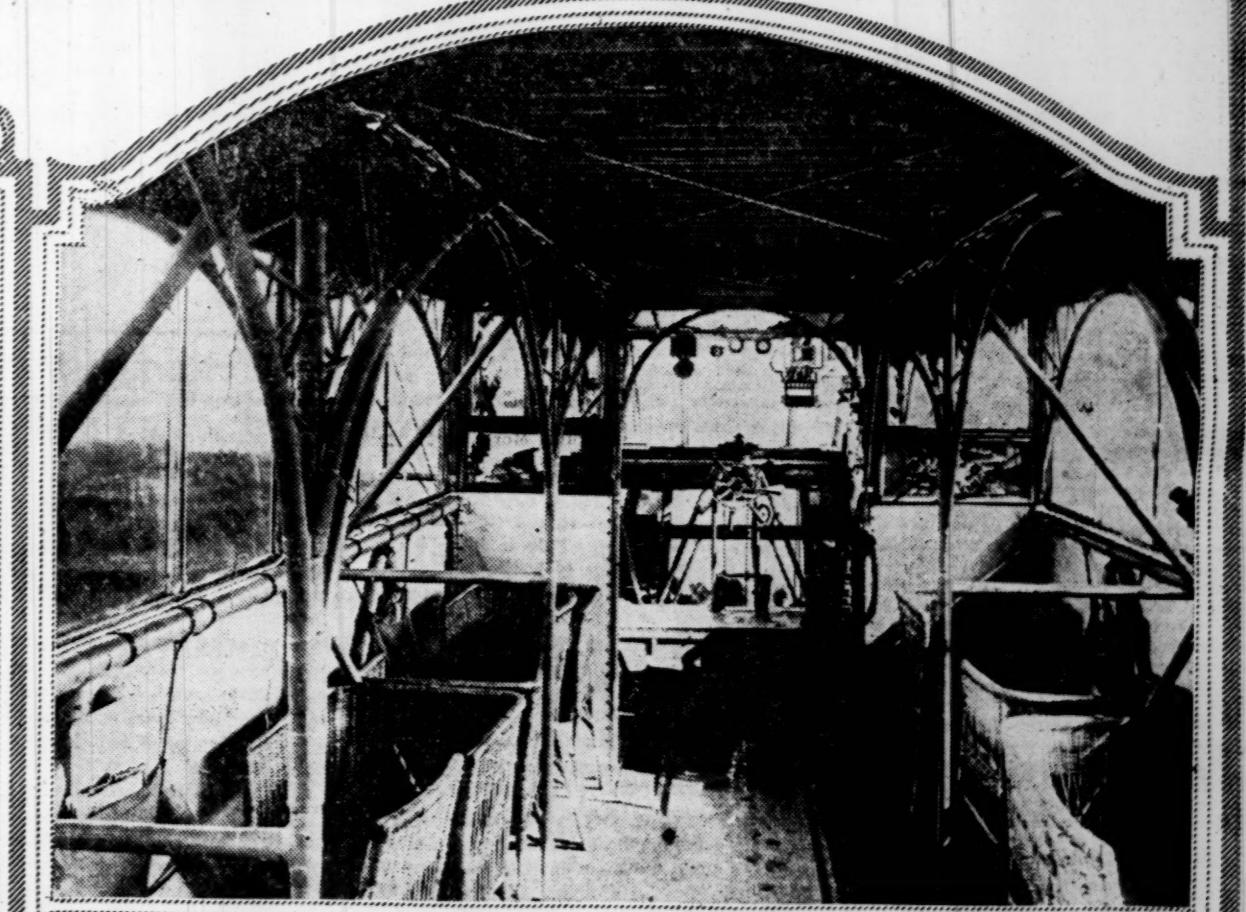


Gen. Pershing presenting prizes to victors at interallied games at Pershing stadium, Joinville, France.

—Photo by International Film Service



Scene on esplanade at Bonn, Germany, in the area occupied by U. S. troops.
—Photo by International Film Service



"Parlor car accommodations" in Italian passenger airship operating between Rome, Turin and Milan.
—Photo by Central News Photo Service



"Gavy" Cravath (left), just made manager of Philadelphia Nationals, congratulating Tris Speaker on being made manager of Cleveland team.
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INSTON EASY WINNER
OVER EASTERN YOUTH
TO PLAY BRAIN TODAY

DIANAPOLIS, Minn., July 26.—Johnston defeated a younger singles final in the Northwest tournament at Deephaven yesterday when James V. San Francisco, won from V. Richards, 18 years old, of Yonkers, N. Y., in straight sets, 7-5, 6-3.

Johnston will play Phil Brain, Minneapolis, present champion in singles and today for the North title.

Yesterday's match was de-

livered in less than three hours by a hard

and the wet court forced

up the play of Richards

over the first set. Richards

had much chance to win,

leading Johnston, 5-3, in

the second set, when his play slowed

down, and the coast star took the next

set, and the next two sets.

In the doubles, Trafford Jayne,

up Brain, Minneapolis, def.

Waldner, Chicago, and

Lee, Minneapolis, 7-5, 6-3.

Jayne and Brain will

play Johnston and Clarence Griffin,

of Des Moines, for the doubles title.

Agnes Davis, St. Louis, and

Lee, Minneapolis, will meet

in women's singles title.

O. Henry
and
Al Jennings
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I know that my retirement will make no difference in its cardinal principles; that it will always fight for progress and reform, tolerate injustice or corruption, always fight demagogues of all parties, never belong to any party, always oppose privileged classes and public plunderers, never lack sympathy with the poor, always remain devoted to the public welfare, never be satisfied with merely printing news, always be practically independent; never be afraid to attack wrong, whether by predatory plutocracy or predatory poverty.

JOSEPH PULITZER.
April 10, 1907.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

League of Profiteers.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
We don't care a whole lot about the league of nations, but we do care about the league of profiteers.

"Shantung" spells nothing to the people of the United States, but beefsteak and bread do.

We have had about enough of the bickering of politicians in Washington, and if our representatives there don't come to their senses soon, the people who elected them will take a hand themselves, and I don't think it will be a general hand, either.

If our politicians are so rotten that they can't read the handwriting on the wall, they will sure have to suffer (along with everybody else), when the protest starts.

CHAS. RAIVE.

Irish Self-Determination.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
Your position on the Irish question, as indicated by the De Valera editorials, is that the fundamental principles of Americanism should be repudiated to put over the peace treaty and league of nations. It is the purchase of peace at any price, however, that we have been having with England, in the proposed league of nations, to recognize the right of self-determination of all small nations capable of self-government. Although nearly 80 per cent of the Irish people have voted for a republic, England is plainly indicating that she will not recognize Ireland's right of self-determination. We must not be a partner in such a plan.

Now must we pledge ourselves, as we do by Article X, to help England defeat the nation with whom we have had, and any other English possession, to obtain that self-determination which England has been willing to grant to any nation's possessions except her own. If we have not as much courage to recognize the Irish Republic as we had when we recognized the independence of Panama from our little sister republic of Colombia, because we needed a canal, we can at least refuse to enter into a perfidious compact with England to deprive Ireland and other small nations of that honorable outside assistance without which they would not have gained our own independence. Ireland, which, at that time, was about three times as big as we were, and France gave us that assistance. We must not be ungrateful to Ireland now, nor, above all, false to our own principles.

If England does not show immediate proof of good faith by granting Ireland her independence, we cannot, we must not, enter into any league with her.

JEFFREY MACKAY.

Cheer in a Street Car.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
At times I am partially wearied and disengaged from my work, and a conversation going on around me in the street, however, a thing happened this morning which I felt I must write about: I had scarcely taken my seat when a lady in the seat back of mine said: "I just love to ride in these cars, for you always see such good-looking people on them." "Just look at these gardens, how well they are kept," she went on. "Don't you love to ride in these cars, anything?" And all day I have been looking for the beautiful things and have told everyone I came across, and, if nothing else, it has evoked smiles and optimism.

ONE OF THE PEOPLE.

Charity Begins at Home.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
I noticed an item in Wednesday's paper says Czech-Slovak babies are starving. We have thousands of babies in this city starving for the want of milk. What is being done with the hard-earned money forced from the poor people of this city and many other cities? During the "drives" they would stand in business places almost go in your pocket and take a poor laborer's hard-earned money. Is that what you call Christian? The heartless rich people pay all their attention to foreign countries; our own lives are going out.

We must keep these home fires burning over here. Mr. Rich Man, take a trip down in the slums of our city and see for yourself. We have to live, so cut the cost of food and clothing or we will have to do it ourselves.

A LABORING MAN'S FRIEND.

"Decay of Democracy."

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
Two men were discharged from the city's payroll because they had failed to sign the Republican ticket, and another was having said: "We Reps don't have to vote; our party is in control of getting elected; we've got the pull; we go to the polls as a make-believe affair."

Still another who is employed at city hall would not allow his wife to purchase groceries at a certain place because of this man being a Democrat. Don't Democrat and Republican alike pay taxes to pay this man his salary? And then wonder at "decay of city democracy."

A. C. D.

MEXICO UNDER "PACIFIER" CARRANZA.

The serious conditions in Mexico visualized in the story of Dr. Charles T. Sturgis, former Missourian, who returned to this State to tell of a long captivity among Zapata bandits, are not conditions of the remoter past when Villa and other insurrectionists were a menace and disorder was general. They are conditions of recent months, long after the country was supposed to be "pacified" and Carranza had served the greater portion of the presidential term to which he succeeded after a regularly called election.

Dr. Sturgis says that at one time a band of 500 Carranzista soldiers appeared at the bandit camp where he and his wife were virtually held in slavery, exchanged a few shots with the outlaws and then went into a conference with them, during which the Carranzistas traded rifles and ammunition for horses and cattle with the bandits.

The incident gives a peculiarly interesting glimpse into Mexican life under Pacifier Carranza. The exchange came in the very nick of time for the Zapatistas. They were painfully short of arms of all kinds and might not have been able to hold out very long but for the kindness of the regular soldiers, who were short of horses and cattle. Dr. Sturgis says that in isolated districts of Mexico as many depredations are committed by regular army units as by outlaws and alleged revolutionists.

It was in June, 1918, when Uncle Sam was addressing himself to a tremendous task in another direction, that the bandits overran the ranch in Chiapas where the Sturgis family had prospered for several years, stole \$20,000 in cash and several hundred head of cattle, destroyed coffee trees and other crops and ruined all improvements. The family were kidnapped and taken to the Zapatista camp, where they were kept seven months at hard labor on inadequate food. Mrs. Sturgis' mother died of starvation. The doctor is suffering from paralysis attributed to his hardships.

When Dr. Sturgis makes up his heavy claim for damages, how can the Washington Government fail to press it energetically? How can Carranza deny the justice of this claim and the claims of many other Americans because they are Americans and punishes the perpetrators of past outrages.

The former Kaiser now complains that the German General Staff deceived him, and he probably suspects, too, that he was treated pretty shabbily by his old side partner, Gott.

PRIVATE CAPITAL AND RIVER SERVICE.

All that has been accomplished during the past year in increased use of the river has been under Government initiative and with Government money. We have reached a stage where a move under private initiative and by private capital is most desirable. The revival of long-distance freight carrying by river having been a success, the next logical step would be a revival of long-distance passenger carrying by river.

Chicago plans to take both these important steps in one venture. Two new and modern steel boats of 2000 tons, with accommodations for passengers as well as freight are to be put on between Peru, a Northern Illinois River town reached by rail from Chicago, and New Orleans.

That private capital is even thinking of such a venture is highly encouraging. The projectors of the line, of course, are looking ahead to the time when the \$20,000,000 improvement on the Illinois River will open an all-river-and-canal route to New Orleans, and want the advantage of being first in the field with a well-organized service.

Courage and breadth of vision at this time will, we may believe, reap satisfying rewards in the future and insure important benefits to the public in addition.

It is rather warm weather to sit in the Coliseum and listen to anti-League speeches with 2.75 logical content.

THE "CITY'S OWN" STRANGERS.

Complaints having been made of poor service on the municipal trolley line between Bissell's Point and Chain of Rocks, Water Commissioner Wall advises those who object to overcrowded cars not to use the line. Isn't the flavor in this of the old attitude of the private utility magnate just a trifle too strong?

It is true, as Mr. Wall says, that the line was originally opened for the transport of city employees and fuel for the waterworks. The fact remains, however, that its facilities have been extended to the general public and the probability is that as long as the city remains in the field no private utility will attempt a rival service. This being the case, should not the city make at least as solicitous an effort to meet public expectation as a private utility would make? Certainly cause for protest is given when available Sunday cars are crowded to suffocation and it is discovered that only half the city's rolling stock is in use.

Enjoyment of the Chain of Rocks beauty spot should not be reserved for automobile owners alone, and in exercising its trolley monopoly in this area the city might set an example in efficient service to the United Railways.

The hog continues to blimp.

THE FLAT JAG.

The decision just rendered by a Federal court that beer containing 2.75 per cent alcohol is intoxicating "within the meaning of the war-time prohibition act" seems sound. The House of Representatives has settled that point. The bill passed for the enforcement of prohibition in war or peace, forever and ever, fixes one-half of one per cent alcoholic content as the limit of safety, the frontier of innocence. Once beyond that boundary the wayfarer finds himself in the malign and devastating presence of the Demon Rum.

Such is the congressional fiat. The curious may want to know about the fact. Well, it is far from us to presume to discourse authoritatively upon the etiology of the jingle. We take the liberty of doubting, though, the practicability of extracting even a pale illumination from 2.75 per cent beer. Its appearance may intrigue, but it packs no punch. That Dead Sea fruit which, in Brother Moore's exhortation, "tempts the eye, but turns to ashes on the lips" that fruit is 2.75 per cent beer.

The solemn truth is that a flat jag is as counterfeit as flat money.

Indiscriminate Thanks.

From the Louisville Courier-Journal.

Jim Larkin, professional "Red" agitator, who finds America good enough to play his trade in, says: "I thank God that I am not an American citizen." Probably the God who was the junior partner in the late firm (now bankrupt) of "Me & God."

Finally and unanswerably, it may be stated in behalf of the alliance with France that Brother Bryan is against it.

A. C. D.



THE ELIMINATION OF ARTICLE X THAT IS WORRYING MOST OF US.

The MIRROR of PUBLIC OPINION

This column is designed to reproduce without bias the latest comment by the leading publicists, newspapermen and periodicals on the questions of the day.

A SUGGESTION TO THE PACKERS.

From the Kansas City Times.

THE packers, having taken possession of our food supplies, from shrimps, clives, spinach and hominy up to pork and beans and mutton and beef, might now turn their attention to the luxuries.

We understand, of course, that the packers, being of a philanthropic turn of mind, prefer to deal only in the stern necessities. Still, there are luxuries that amount almost to necessities, for which the people will spend their money as freely as they spend it for the packers' line of goods.

"There's bound to be a good thing for the packers, say, in the candy business, if the packers are looking for any more good things. The candy trade still appears to be more or less in the hands of individual owners, thus robbing the packers of opportunity to contribute anything to the meat trust. Most of them buy candy for the children, and therefore there seems no chance to charge candy prices. The public still can buy candy cheaper at some stores than at others, and any packer knows that such a practice amounts in the long run to bad business. It used to be that way in the meat business.

And toys—there's a field as yet untouched in its possibilities. To be sure, candy and toys are not, strictly speaking, in the packing line. But there is a "killing" to be made in the business of both lines, and the packers could easily justify themselves in breaking into anything where profits are promising.

Or, to take another angle, if you're not working in the way of selling candy, give to the kids at real pig prices, or of making father dig up for a toy calf in bulk.

If the packers have any hesitancy about entering a new field lest they be criticised by constitutional lawyers of the old-fashioned sort, let it be known to all the world that, from every outward appearance of every inward work of the Meat Trust, there seems nothing in the Constitution anywhere that would hinder the packers in their ambitions or hinder them in the practice of their taking ways.

A. Yes. Whatever those are.

Q. You are not very much interested in a cultural atmosphere about the place?

A. No. Business is business.

Q. Very well. We will accept the vernacular of your business.

A. The what?

Q. We will try to express things in terms understandable to you.

A. Thank you.

Q. Was it true?

A. No. I am eccentric, but nobody is out.

Q. Do you know who wrote "Robinson Crusoe"?

A. Certainly. That is well-known in our business. Robinson Crusoe wrote it.

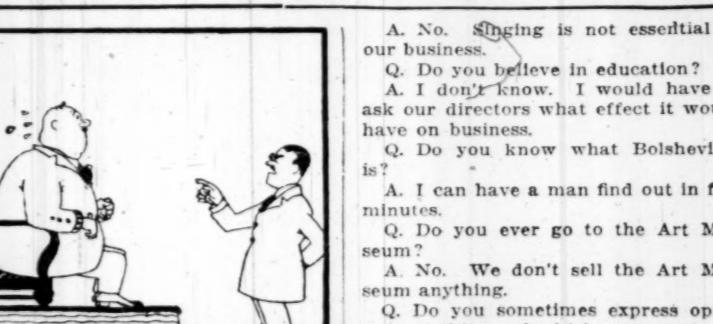
Q. Do you know who Homer was?

A. Yes. He was a singer with the Metropolitan Opera.

Q. Did you ever hear him sing?

JUST A MINUTE

Written for the POST-DISPATCH
by Clark McAdams



A. No. Singing is not essential to our business.

Q. Do you believe in education?

A. I don't know. I would have to ask our directors what effect it would have on business.

Q. Do you know what Bolshevism is?

A. I can have a man find out in five minutes.

Q. Do you ever go to the Art Museum?

A. No. We don't sell the Art Museum anything.

Q. Do you sometimes express opinions of things of which you are ignorant?

A. Yes. That is bluff. Bluff is the biggest part of business.

Q. You don't mind making yourself ridiculous?

A. Not if I can make myself rich.

Q. You invent business?

A. No. I invented not letting anything else interfere with it.

Q. Business is business.

A. Yes. Each thing is what it is.

Q. I get you. I think.

A. Thank you.

Q. You are sure this is all you know?

A. Everything.

Q. That will be all.

Mr. Taft, as usual, is getting beaten up as peacemaker.

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OZARK MEMORIES.

PALMER'S HILLS.

L. O. I watch the curtain drawn, And behind as a dream, the days That are passed! The pale morning With its fleecy shroud of cloud And the soft hillocks lying In their purple, and the silver mist Within the hollows, And the pale green of the field With the scarlet roadway running by; And the great red sun which stealthily creeps up o'er the hill To smile upon the valley.

And the rose light which lay Upon the shutter, and the nodding vines

And the sound of the wind in the trees;

B. Or, at a later hour, the great silver Moon which withdrew as the night deepened, and the stars began to guard the valley. Oh, I watch the curtain Drawn, and lo! the roadway lined With phantom folk, and my lips smile As the shadow of remembrance falls Upon the phantom land.

THE COTAWAY.—(Courtois).

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TORS CONSIDER PALMER TESTIMONY

Committee Will Judge
of Attorney-General
to Hold Office.

Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, July 26.—The Judiciary Committee today considered the matter of taking during the investigation of the fitness of Attorney A. Mitchell Palmer to hold the nomination of Palmer in the Senate pending the committee.

The committee concluded its hearing after Palmer again argued before it and completed his charges brought him in connection with the office of Alien Proprietary Custodian, which he held prior-named as Attorney-General agent Wilson.

He reiterated his previous statement that the whole fight was conceived and carried by representatives of Germans because of his activities.

Since tuberculosis is such a grave menace to human health (it is also destructive to many lower animals) we should continue our efforts and enlarge our means in every possible way to reduce its frightful death rate.

Now Accept Germans.

The German fight has been carried on by men.

Germans still incensed because their property was taken over "American hands," he said.

Palmer had concluded his

testimony before the committee.

Harold Remington, a lawyer, who had appeared

in confirmation of the Attorney General's compensation was low. In all he was paid \$7000.

May File Answers.

lawyers, including Germans, Palmer declared.

He has been careful to cast suspicion upon my moral character.

It is a German fight against me, by paid agents of Germans because their

were taken over and put into hands."

Attorney-General said he

had written to the German

Government.

Palmer declared,

he wanted to join a syndicate.

On account of his connection with the custodian would not

be able to be made to him,

what was bought for \$1,500.

The Tousine company and

Co. of Boston.

A Sale of Insurance Firm.

denied charges that the

company, long in the candy

business in New England, was en-

emy Harry B. Duane was

and, looking up Duane's

the Attorney-General said,

the first Mayor of New

which he submitted, was

of his Americanism.

Attorney-General explained

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Custodian's office had

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of the insurance compa-

as was bought by another firm,

americanism was doubted,

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"Never," exclaimed Specs, shriek-

ing with laughter: "that was a mu-

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"What do you mean a mu-

seum?"

"Why, it was a knock-turn!"—

Cleveland Plain Dealer.

WOMEN'S PAGE

THE WEEKLY HEALTH TALK

By DR. MAX C. STARKLOFF,
Health Commissioner of St. Louis.

TUBERCULOSIS remains the all-year-round deadly enemy of mankind, notwithstanding the numerous agencies that are working to prevent its spread and reduce its ravages. Efforts to produce a vaccine or serum to cure the disease or immunize people against it have been fruitless, although many brilliant investigators have devoted years of study in this direction.

We all remember the number of cases that have been perpetrated on the people in connection with tuberculosis, the glaring one being the effects of the German flu several years ago when thousands upon thousands flocked to New York hoping to be relieved of the disease only to find that they had been duped. A big book could be written showing all the fakes in this one disease alone.

Since tuberculosis is such a grave menace to human health (it is also destructive to many lower animals) we should continue our efforts and enlarge our means in every possible way to reduce its frightful death rate.

Nevertheless, I retraced my route, overtaking the train as they entered the club grounds.

"Miss Gould?" I queried, and one of the girls stepped forward, leaving the other two, one a rather robust type of young woman, the other, studious looking by reason of her spectacles, her spare physique and sloping shoulders, in the background.

Another remark elicited the response:

"Oh, you must mean my younger sister."

Whereupon not the robust maiden but the scholarly looking girl stepped forward. This, then, was the champion.

I had been told that Corinne Gould had smashed many well established precedents in tennis history both with the famous chop stroke she has developed and in her personality that she has accumulated her imposing array of titles, National, Central States, Central West, Missouri and St. Louis women's clay court championship while still in her teens and weighing less than 100 pounds. Still I was hardly prepared for this type of athlete.

What a title captured at the national clay court tournament at Chicago last week Miss Gould has only one national title of a higher order to win, that being the grass court championship. Moreover, in bringing her latest title to St. Louis the 19-year-old girl brings the first national championship in tennis singles that the city has been able to boast. It is expected she will enter next year's lawn tennis meet against Mrs. Wightman, who wrested the world championship in that class from Molla Bjurstedt at Forest Hills earlier this season.

While Kirkwood seemed unattracted over the prospect of harboring a world champion, Mr. E. C. Gould, the proud father of the athlete, expressed no doubt that she will at the first opportunity become an international champion.

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The problem is in reality of such extent and so vital to the welfare of our city that we should begin a systematic campaign against tuberculosis and persist in it until we have established a regular body, whether private or public in its composition, whose duty it would be to see that the consumption cases are given the best care known to science and the rest of the people protected against its spread.

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MORE TRUTH THAN POETRY

By James J. Montague.

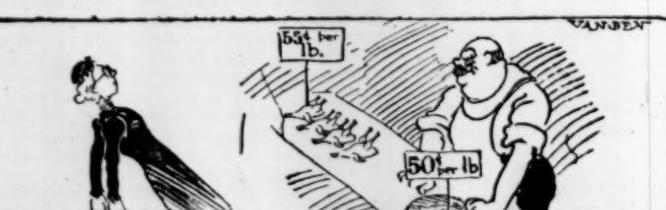


GRANDMA'S QUESTION.
When grandma found that sirloin steaks
Were up to seven cents a pound,
She murmured, "Grocers! What sakes!
I know what I have to live on round."
And when the round, on which we fed,
Went up a cent or maybe two,
She lifted up her hands and said:
"Whatever are we coming to?"

When grandma bought a fowl to boil
And paid a quarter for the same,
With indignation she'd recoil
And swear such prices were a shame.
"Them kids won't get no chicken stew
Unless these here priced drop;
Whatever are we coming to?"
She'd murmur as she left the shop.

When grandma found that bacon cost
Ten cents a pound, or maybe more,
With haughty rage her head she tossed
And stalked, in fury, from the store.
"Whatever are we coming to?"
She cried, with lightning in her eye.
"Those butchers are a thieving crew;
But as for grocers, goodness my!"

If dear old grandma chanced to go
In quest of food supplies today,
And found out what they cost, I know
She'd just curl up and pass away.
"Whatever are we coming to?"
No more would ask the gentle dame,
The future's black, instead of blue,
We are not coming now—we've come!



WHAT'S THE USE?
It is idle talk of coining seven-cent
pieces for street car fares. It would
be only another year before we
would have to discontinue them and
begin to coin 14-cent pieces.

BACK TO NORMAL.
Berlin now has a trolley strike,
which indicates that the practices of
civilization are being resumed in
Germany.

WHEN THEY MAKE THE PRICES.
The packers suggest that if we
eat more meat prices will come
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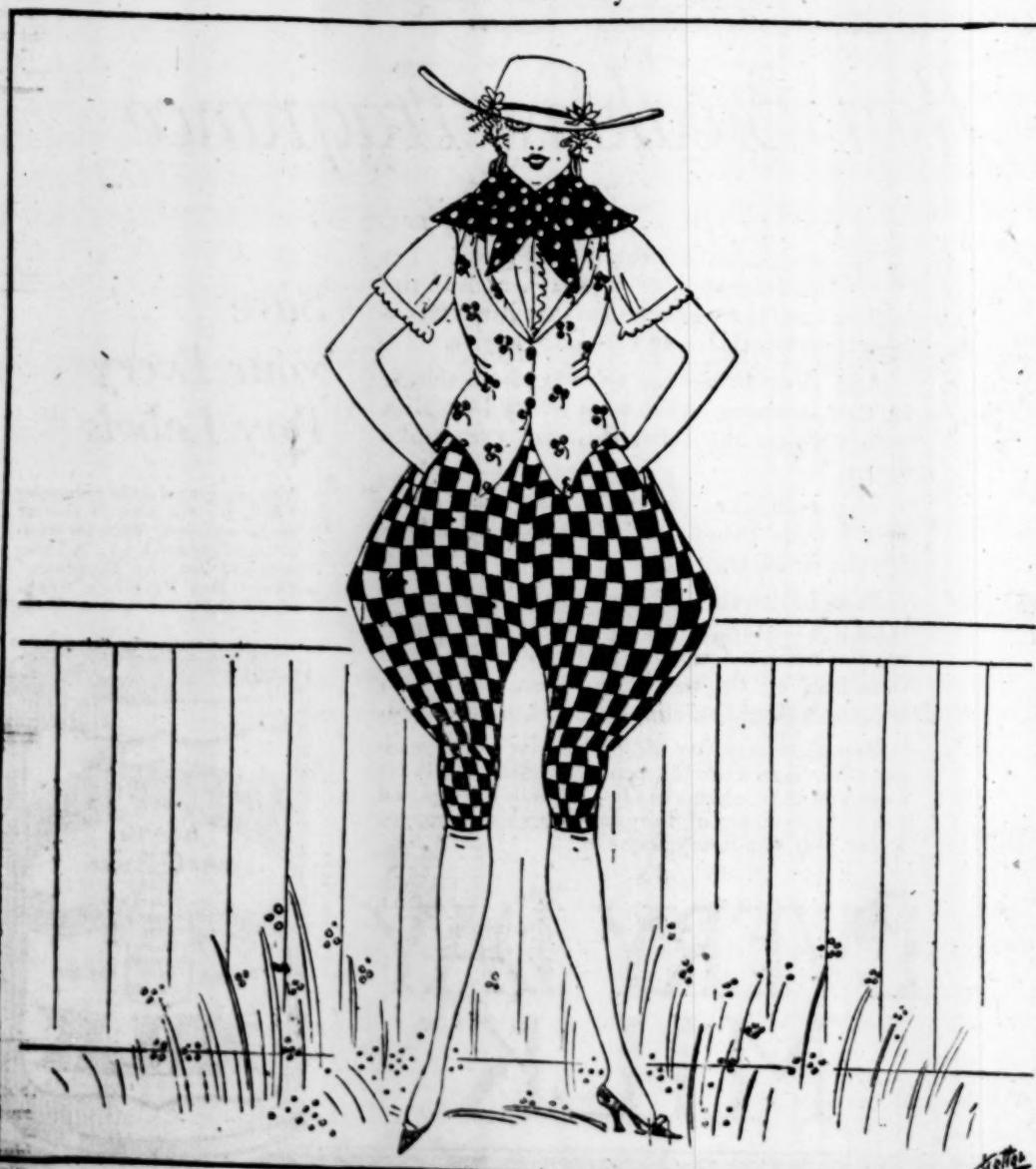
Easy.

First Farmer: How do you find
your new hired man, Ezry?
Second Farmer: I look in the shade
of the tree nearest his work.—Buffalo Express.

A Fond Kiss.

Baile McTavish: An' so ye leave
Glesch on Monday? What are ye
doin' the mornin' nicht?
Mr. Jarvis: Tomorrow, Thursday,
I've no engagement.
Baile: An' the next nicht?
Mr. J.: I'm free then, too.
Baile: An' what will ye be dæin'
on Saturday?
Mr. J.: On Saturday I dine with
the Buchans.
Baile: What a peety! An' wanted
ye tae tak' dinner w' us on Saturday.—Dallas News.

The Farmerette.—By Ketten.



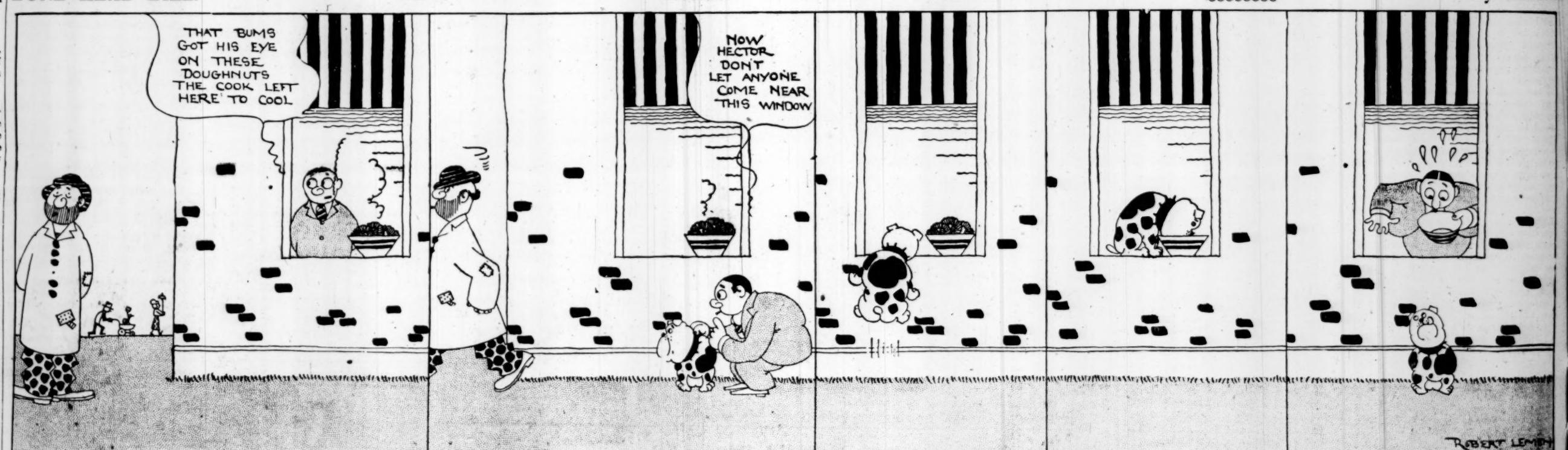
PROHIBITION DEVELOPS A NEW METHOD FOR MAKING AFTER-DINNER SPEECHES BEARABLE.—By GOLDBERG.



"SAY, POP!"—ALKALI IKE MAKES A TRUTHFUL REPORT.—By C. M. PAYNE.



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Let the Wedding Bells Ring Out.



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